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SUBJECT: UNESCO MEETING ON NEW DIRECTIONS IN DEVELOP-  
MENT.

REFERENCE: LAUFER-SLEEPER TELECON AUGUST 2.

1. LETTER SIGNED BY JACQUES HAVET, ACTING ADG FOR  
SOCIAL SCIENCE SECTOR, INVITING JOHN W. MELLOR,  
ASSOCIATE ASSISTANT ADMINISTRATOR, AID/PPC/PDA, DE-  
PARTMENT OF STATE, WASHINGTON D.C. ON JULY 19, 1976  
TO ATTEND SUBJECT MEETING AUGUST 30 TO SEPTEMBER 3.  
TEXT OF LETTER REPORTED BELOW. SUGGEST PASSING TO  
MELLOR. WOULD APPRECIATE CABLE REPLY SO THAT U.S. PERM  
DEL CAN NOTIFY UNESCO OF MELLOR ACCEPTANCE.

QUOTE: DEAR MR. MELLOR, I HAVE THE HONOR, ON BEHALF OF  
THE DIRECTOR-GENERAL, TO EXTEND TO YOU AN INVITATION TO  
PARTICIPATE, IN YOUR PERSONAL CAPACITY, IN THE  
EXPERT MEETING ON PROBLEMS OF AID IN EDUCATION, SCIENCE,  
CULTURE AND COMMUNICATION, ACCORDING TO THE NEW PER-  
SPECTIVES OF DEVELOPMENT, WHICH WILL BE HELD FROM  
30 AUGUST TO 3 SEPTBER 1976 (INCLUSIVE) AT UNESCO  
HEADQUARTERS, IN PARIS, MIOLLIS BUILDING, ROOM XII.  
THERE WILL BE SIMULTANEOUS INTERPRETA-  
TION IN BOTH ENGLISH AND FRENCH, BUT UNFORTUNATELY  
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SOME OF THE DOCUMENTS WILL APPEAR IN ONE LANGUAGE ONLY.

THIS MEETING IS BEING CONVENED IN ACCORDANCE WITH RESOLUTION 3.231(C)(I), ADOPTED BY THE GENERAL CONFERENCE OF UNESCO AT ITS EIGHTEENTH SESSION, RELATED TO RESEARCH ON AID TO DEVELOPMENT. PARAGRAPH 3091 OF THE WORK PLAN OF THE APPROVED PROGRAMME AND BUDGET FOR 1975-1976 OF UNESCO FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THIS RESOLUTION READS AS FOLLOWS: "CRITERIA, METHODS, MECHANISMS AND PROCEDURES OF AID FOR DEVELOPMENT IN THE FIELDS OF COMPETENCE OF UNESCO WILL BE EXAMINED IN THE LIGHT OF PAST EXPERIENCE. A PRELIMINARY STUDY WILL BE UNDERTAKEN WITH THE ASSISTANCE OF CONSULTANTS. SUBSEQUENTLY, A CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE OF EXPERTS, (CATEGORY VII) WILL MEET TO STUDY, IN THE LIGHT OF THE RESULTS OF THIS WORK, THE PROBLEMS AND DIFFICULTIES WHICH HINDER OPERATIONS OF AID FOR DEVELOPMENT OR WHICH LIMIT THEIR EFFECTIVENESS, AND TO PROPOSE SUCH REAPPRAISALS AS MAY APPEAR NECESSARY IN THE APPROACH TO AID PROGRAMMES AND THE PROCEDURES FOR IMPLEMENTING THEM. ON THE BASIS OF THE CONCLUSIONS OF THIS COMMITTEE, THE SECRETARIAT WILL PREPARE A REPORT TO BE PRESENTED FIRST TO THE EXECUTIVE BOARD AND SUBSEQUENTLY TO THE GENERAL CONFERENCE ... THIS PROJECT WILL INVOLVE THE ACTIVE PARTICIPATION OF ALL UNITS OF THE SECRETARIAT HAVING RESPONSIBILITIES FOR PROGRAMMES OF AID FOR DEVELOPMENT, INCLUDING THE REGIONAL OFFICES AND THE CHIEF TECHNICAL ADVISERS. THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SCIENCES WILL DIRECT THE EXECUTION OF THE PROJECT IN CONJUNCTION

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WITH THE BUREAU OF RELATIONS WITH MEMBER STATES AND WITH INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS AND PROGRAMMES".

IT IS HOPED THAT THE PARTICIPANTS WILL:

1. TAKE STOCK OF THE OBJECTIVES 3.1 AND 3.2 OF THE DRAFT MEDIUM-TERM PLAN FOR 1977-1982 (19 C/4) (PHOTO-COPIES ATTACHED) ON GLOBAL AND ENDOGENOUS DEVELOPMENT;
2. ASSESS HOW, IN THE PAST, ASSISTANCE AND ESPECIALLY UNESCO ASSISTANCE MIGHT HAVE EITHER PROMOTED OR HINDERED GLOBAL AND ENDOGENOUS DEVELOPMENT IN THE FIELD OF EDUCATION, SCIENCE, CULTURE AND COMMUNICATION;
3. IDENTIFY THOSE CHANGES WHICH SHOULD BE INTRODUCED IN OBJECTIVES, CRITERIA, STRATEGIES, FORMS AND MODALITIES OF AID IN ORDER TO MAKE INTERNATIONAL ACTION IN THE FIELD OF EDUCATION, SCIENCE, CULTURE AND COMMUNICATION MORE COHERENT WITH THE PROCLAIMED POLICY OF THE 19 C/4, SHOULD THIS POLICY BE APPROVED BY UNESCO'S GENERAL CONFERENCE AT ITS NINETEENTH SESSION.

SOME FIFTEEN PARTICIPANTS FROM DIFFERENT REGIONS, COVERING THE MAIN PROGRAMME AREAS OF UNESCO AND THE DIFFERENT PERSPECTIVES OF INTERNATIONAL CO-OPERATION ARE BEING INVITED IN THEIR PERSONAL CAPACITY TO THIS MEETING. THE CONTRIBUTION THAT YOU CAN MAKE TO THESE DEBATES LEADS ME TO HOPE THAT YOU WILL FIND IT POSSIBLE TO ATTEND THIS MEETING. I WOULD BE MUCH OBLIGED IF YOU WOULD LET ME KNOW AT YOUR EARLIEST CONVENIENCE WHETHER

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YOU ARE IN A POSITION TO ACCEPT THIS INVITATION. IF SO, A RETURN AIR TICKET (ECONOMY CLASS) WILL BE SENT TO YOU AND UNESCO WILL PAY YOU A DAILY SUBSISTENCE IN FRENCH FRANCS FOR EACH DAY OF YOUR ATTENDANCE AT THE MEETING.

THE PROVISIONAL AGENDA AND THE SECRETARIAT'S WORKING PAPER WILL BE SENT OUT TO YOU LATER BY AIRMAIL. FOR ANY QUESTIONS AND FURTHER CLARIFICATION, PLEASE ADDRESS YOUR CORRESPONDENCE TO MR. N. BODART, DIRECTOR, DIVISION FOR THE STUDY OF DEVELOPMENT, UNESCO. YOURS TRULY, SIGNED: JACQUES HAVET, ACTING ASSISTANT DIRECTOR -GENERAL, SECTOR OF SOCIAL SCIENCES AND THEIR APPLICATIONS. END QUOTE.

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